

11/16/01  
jc796 U.S. PTO

11-23-01

*A*

<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b>  <small>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))</small>	<i>Title of Invention</i>	Electroprocessed Collagen
	<i>Named Inventor(s)</i>	David G. Simpson, Gary L. Bowlin, Gary E. Wnek, Peter J. Stevens, Marcus E. Carr, Jamil A. Matthews and Saravanamoorthy Rajendran
	<i>Attorney Docket</i>	49122-0151 (49122-263821)
	<i>Express Mail Label No.</i>	EL 910716126US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS	ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box Patent Application Washington, D.C. 20231
<div>1. <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <i>(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)</i></div> <div>2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims Small Entity status</div> <div>3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification, Claims, and Abstract Total Pages 116</div> <div>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawings Total Sheets 9 Total Pages 125</div> <div>5. Oath or Declaration a. <input type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy) b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) <i>(for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed)</i> The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. (i) <input type="checkbox"/> <u>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</u> Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).</div> <div>6. <input type="checkbox"/> Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)</div>	<div><b>ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS</b></div> <div>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary) a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Copy b. <input type="checkbox"/> Paper Copy (identical to computer copy) c. <input type="checkbox"/> Statement verifying identity of above copies</div> <div>8. <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment: a. <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (cover sheet &amp; document(s)) b. <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment is of record in parent application No. _____</div> <div>9. <input type="checkbox"/> 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney by assignee</div> <div>10. <input type="checkbox"/> English Translation Document (if applicable)</div> <div>11. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) PTO-1449 <input type="checkbox"/> Copies of IDS Citations</div> <div>12. <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment</div> <div>13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) <i>(Should be specifically itemized)</i></div> <div>14. <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)</div> <div>15. <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____</div>
<div>16. If a <b>CONTINUING APPLICATION</b>, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information: <input type="checkbox"/> Continuation <input type="checkbox"/> Divisional <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: <u>09/714,255</u>, <b>(filed November 17, 2000)</b> Recite complete dependency back to first parent application: This application claims priority to U.S. Non-Provisional Application Serial No. 09/714,255, filed November 17, 2000, U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/270,118, filed February 21, 2001, U.S. Non-Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 09/946,158, filed September 4, 2001, PCT Application No. PCT/US01/27409, filed September 4, 2001, U.S. Non-Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 09/982,515, filed October 18, 2001 and PCT Application No. PCT/US01/32301, filed October 18, 2001.</div>	
<div>17. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS:</div> <div><div>John S. Pratt, Esq. KILPATRICK STOCKTON LLP 1100 Peachtree Street, N.E. Suite 2800 Atlanta, Georgia 30309-4530</div><div>By: <u><i>John K. McDonald</i></u> Reg. No. 42,860 John K. McDonald, Ph.D. Date: November 16, 2001 Telephone: 404-815-6500 Facsimile: 404-815-6555</div></div>	

11/16/01  
09/991373  
U.S. PTO

The PTO did not receive the following listed item(s): Post Card